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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Benjamin C.H. SMEETS, et al.
Title: METHOD FOR MOVING AT LEAST TWO
ELEMENTS OF A PLACEMENT MACHINE AS
WELL AS SUCH PLACEMENT MACHINE
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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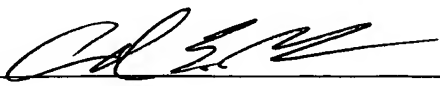
Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed January 28, 2008, Applicants hereby elect Group I, Claims 11-17 for examination.

Applicants specifically reserve the right to file divisional applications covering the subject matter of the non-elected claims. Receipt of the initial Office Action on the merits is awaited. The Commissioner is authorized to make appropriate charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 19-0741 to provide exact payment of additional fees if necessary.

Respectfully submitted,

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